Caste-war statements of appointments, transfers, &c., in the Registration Department.

139. **Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.**—Will the Government be pleased

(1) to place on the table a caste-war statement of appointments (acting and permanent) made by the present Superintendent of Registration, since he took charge of the department ;

(2) a caste-war statement of transfers during the period;

(3) the travelling allowance spent on account of transfers in 1101 and during the last year of his predecessor's administration ;

(4) the reasons for such differences ; and

(5) the special reasons, if any, for transferring poorly-paid subordinates from their native places, when it is not done as a punishment ?

Mr. A. K. Vengu Ayyar.—

(1)

Castes,	*Appointments. Permanent.*	*Acting.*
Brahmins	3	3
Nambiyar (Ambalavasi)	....	1
Nayars	4	8
Veluthedans	....	1
Ezhuvas	..	1
Christians	..	9
Muhammadans	1	...

(2)

Castes.	*Transfers.*
Brahmins	13
Saraswat Brahmins	2
Elayathus	1
Kshethriyas	1
Wariars	2
Pisharodies	1
Nayars	15
Ezhuthassans	2
Tharakans	1
Goldsmith (native)	1
Christians	5

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(3) In 1101 .... Rs. 116—14—0.

During the last year of
Mr. B. C. Chakko's administration .... Rs. 172—6—6.

(4) The difference is due to the fact that in 1101 many of the transfers were made at the request of the subordinates concerned and in such cases no T. A. was granted as prescribed in *the C. S. R.*

(5) In the interests of the department.

140. **Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar**.—Will the Government be pleased to state.—

the number of subordinates of the Registration Department who took leave at the time of transfer and the number of new hands appointed in their stead in 1101 ?

Mr. A. K. Vengu Ayyar.—Nil.

The qualification of the Superintendent of Registration.

141. **Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.**—Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(1) whether the present Superintendent of Registration has got the essential qualification (by examination, etc.) to be the Head of that Department ;

(2) were there not qualified hands in the department itself for the post ;

(3) is it incumbent that a Registrar should pass the Registration Test to qualify him for the post?

Mr. A. K. Vengu Ayyar .—

(1) Yes.

(2) The question does not arise in view of the answer to (1).

(3) The Member is referred to S. O. No. 4.

The water supply in the Central Jail.

142. **Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.**—Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(1) whether there is enough of water supply required in the Central Jail at Viyyur ;

(2) whether there was any request from the Jail authorities for a grant of Rs. 2 and odd to supplement the water for the supply, and whether this small amount was refused last year?

Mr. A. K. Vengu Ayyar.—(1) No.

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